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Pat LH Wall
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- ☒ Election in Response to Restriction Requirement
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Respectfully submitted,

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ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Restriction Requirement mailed June 5, 2006, in the above-captioned application. A shortened statutory period for reply was set to expire one month from the mailing date of the Restriction Requirement.

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated June 5, 2006, Applicants hereby elect Group II, claims 61-70, drawn to methods for analyzing a nucleic acid in a sample.

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